

FREE! FREE!

To the first 15 Lady Customers entering our store Wednesday morning, February 12th, we will give to each of the 15 a nice 10-yard Dress Pattern absolutely free.

DOOMED!!

It Is Coming! Prepare Yourself for

Monster Merchandise Movement

Hutzler & Company

A Bargain Feast for 10 days only—everything will be marked in plain figures, and sold exactly as advertised.

FREE! FREE!

To the first 15 Men Customers entering our store Wednesday morning, February 12th, we will give to each of the 15 a nice Dress Shirt, to fit, absolutely free.

This is indeed a rare opportunity, and you really can't afford to miss it. Use good judgment and come with the crowds.

Successors to "Beattie's"—"The People's Store," South Richmond, Va.,

Beginning Wednesday, February 12, 9 A. M.

Will inaugurate one of the Greatest, Broadest, Most Liberal and Legitimate Merchandising Events ever held in this city.

For 10 Days

this store will be an OASIS IN A DESERT of high prices. Competition will be paralyzed the time being, and laid low by the astonishing prices we are making, which will probably never be duplicated so long as Richmond stands. We have but little further explanation to offer, except to say that we are determined to turn all the merchandise into **HARD CASH** that we possibly can in this **TEN DAYS' SALE**, and in order to obtain the greatest possible results, we are eliminating every vestige of profit, and even cutting deep into the actual cost on a great portion of the stock.

Can You Grasp the Meaning of This and Realize the Opportunity It Offers?

Below are a few sample prices of the many bargains you will find awaiting you, and there will be thousands more just as good in this Monster Bargain Display:

Look What Awaits You!

EVERY DAY of sale, and only from 9:30 to 10 o'clock in the morning, 10 yards best Prints in choicest patterns (only 10 yards to a customer); 10 yards for

30c

How About This?

EVERY DAY of this sale—from 10:30 to 11 o'clock—10 yards of those fine Apron Gingham, in all good patterns (only 10 yards to a customer); 10 yards for

35c

Can You Beat It?

EVERY DAY—from 1 to 1:30 P. M.—10 yards nice new Dress Gingham, in light and dark patterns (only 10 yards to a customer); 10 yards doomed to go at

55c

Marvel—and Well You May!

EVERY DAY—from 2 to 2:30 P. M.—we will positively close out this big lot of full yard-wide Muslin Sheetting (only 10 yards to each customer), at 10 yards for

43c

What Do You Think About This?

EVERY AFTERNOON—from 3 to 3:30 o'clock—we will positively unload one big mammoth lot of Bleached Domestic at 10 yards for only

59c

Space will not permit quoting more prices, but the above should convince the most skeptical. The entire stock will be slaughtered—nothing reserved. Be on hand and get your share.

STORE CLOSED

Store will be closed all day Tuesday, February 11, with an army of clerks working overtime to get the stock ready for the big opening.

HUTZLER & COMPANY, Inc.,

Successors to "Beattie's"—"The People's Store"

South Richmond, - - - - - Virginia

HELP WANTED!

50 Salesladies 20 Salesmen

10 Bundlwrappers

to help sell this stock. Apply at once. Good pay to everybody.

ALL RECORDS BROKEN BY CUTTER SERVICE

Year 1912 Wonderful One in Work of "Red Cross of the Sea."

THOUSANDS OF LIVES SAVED

Report of Commandant Is Recitation of Thrilling Adventures.

Washington, February 9.—The United States revenue cutter service—the Red Cross of the sea—broke all its previous records and shattered records during the fiscal year 1912. Thousands of human lives and hundreds of tons of property were saved by their cargoes at nearly \$11,000,000. The year was saved from the perils of storm-swept seas by the little cutters which guard the coast line of the United States in an unbroken line from Maine to Texas, and from Alaska to California, nervously alert for the "S. O. S."

Thrilling Adventures. The annual report of Captain E. P. Berthoff, commandant of the service, made public to-day, is a recitation of the thrilling adventures of this arm of the Federal government and older than the American Navy. A total of 260 distressed vessels were assisted during the year, and their burden, 212 souls, rescued from danger, which in many cases seemed impending death. One hundred and six persons were actually saved from drowning.

Revenue cutters on the Pacific coast, penetrating the frigid waters of Alaska, brought back to the United States among the natives of the Aleutian Islands, in the grasp of poverty and disease, creating conditions, it is declared, demanding the attention and action of the Federal government.

Vessels, cargoes and derelicts saved by the revenue cutter service during the year were valued at \$10,711,748. Forty-five derelicts and other dangerous obstructions to navigation were removed or destroyed.

For every dollar the government invested in the maintenance of the revenue cutter service, says Captain Berthoff, "there has been a return of \$4.36 in the form of property saved from the perils of the sea, and this in addition to lives saved and other beneficial acts performed in the interests of mankind."

To accomplish this work, there have been twenty-five cruising cutters and eighteen harbor vessels and launches actively employed during the year.

"The fiscal year 1912 was probably one of the most trying periods to shipping of any year during the past quarter of a century. Frequent gales swept the Atlantic and Gulf coasts, while, during the winter months, the unusual danger to shipping and actual suffering to the crews on account of the ice conditions, even as far South as Chesapeake Bay. These conditions resulted in almost constant calls for the assistance of revenue cutters. None were unheeded. In consequence, the heroic work of the service, in all its activities, during the fiscal year, has exceeded that of previous years."

"Native Wreckers." Among other unusual incidents, Captain Berthoff told of how a "native wreckers" swarmed down upon the Hamburg-American steamer Prinz

Joachim, when, with a large party of American tourists aboard, including William J. Bryan, she stranded on Alwood Cay, Bahamas Islands, November 22, 1911. After the passengers had been removed, the "pirates," said Captain Berthoff, became insolent and aggressive, and at the request of the master of the Prinz Joachim, the revenue cutter Algonquin, with guns manned, stood guard over the steamer and armed her crew. One of the "pirates" struck a box included in the steamer's cargo, containing some explosive, and was blown into eternity. This scared the others away.

New Cutters Needed. Appropriations for four new revenue cutters are urgently recommended by Captain Berthoff—three to replace the Woodbury, Manhattan and Winona, all old and unserviceable, and one to replace the Perry, lost in the Bering Sea during the summer of 1910. He declares that the wireless apparatus now on all sea-going revenue cutters should be replaced by the most modern mechanism obtainable, and a constant radio watch should be maintained. The functions of the revenue cutter service have grown since its establishment in 1790—113 years ago—until today they include a variety of activities ranging from the assistance of vessels in distress and the enforcement of customs and navigation laws to the suppression of mutinies. Two mutinies were quelled by the cutters during last year—one on the Haitian gunboat Ferrier, in Charleston, S. C., harbor, and the other on the Uruguayan bark Brema, in Mobile Bay.

Smuggling has decreased in recent years, Captain Berthoff declares, because of the vigilant patrol of the revenue cutters. This armed coast-guard has been maintained without it smuggling would again spring into existence along the many miles of coast line of the United States.

ASHLAND NEWS NOTES
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Ashland, Va., February 9.—George Wright and small son, of Clinton, S. spent to-day with Mrs. Josie Wright.

I. N. Vaughan, of Richmond, was here on Saturday visiting his brother, Boxley Vaughan, of Ashland.

for a visit to her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Latham, in Lynchburg.
John Tyler, of Richmond, was the guest to-day of relatives at Gwathmey.

Miss Spain is spending the week-end in Petersburg.

Miss R. Augusta Nixon will leave Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. R. W. Lee, in Claremont.

The Junior Literary Club met on last Tuesday with an interesting program. Miss Elise Cardwell read a paper on "The Turkish Government." Miss Margaret Tilly led the discussion on current events.

Hon. Henry C. Stuart will deliver an address before the Washington Literary Society on February 26, in the college chapel.

GOING TO WASHINGTON

Two Richmond Detectives Will Be Detailed for Investigation.

Chief of Police Werner has received a letter from Major Sylvester, head of the Washington, D. C., police, requesting that he detail two detectives from his department to assist his plainclothes men in protecting the public from pickpockets and other crooks who will visit the national capital during the inauguration of President-elect Wilson. In making the request Major Sylvester complimented the Richmond Police Department for its efficiency and added that he was anxious to secure the services of officers from this city because of that fact. Detectives from other cities will also be sent to Washington.

Man Who Killed Jim Branch May Be Able to Enter Naval Pay Corps.

An echo of the pitiful and useless tragedy at the Naval Academy in 1906, when young James R. Branch, Jr., son of Colonel James R. Branch, of Virginia, lost his life as the result of injuries received in a fist-fight with an upper classman who was roughly hazing him, was heard in the Senate of the United States on Saturday.

Minor Meriwether, Jr., of Louisiana, the midshipman who inflicted the injuries from which young Branch died, was court-martialed by the authorities of the Naval Academy and dismissed from the service, but he was subsequently pardoned by President Roosevelt and entered the navy, from which he later resigned on account of defective eyesight.

The Senate passed a bill Saturday, under which Meriwether will be permitted to enter the naval pay corps.

NEW RELIGIONS MERE FASHIONS

Dr. Burrell Says Modern Cults and Isms Will Change Like Women's Hats.

Rev. David James Burrell, D. D., pastor of the Marble Collegiate Reformed Church, New York City, preached at the First Presbyterian Church last night, omitting their night services. The First Church was unable to accommodate all of those desiring to hear Dr. Burrell, and a number of those coming late were turned away. Dr. Burrell's sermon was on the "Old-Time Religion," and in the course of it he criticized as mere passing fashions, no more important than the current style in millinery, many of the fads and isms of the theological world of to-day. While men in this day no longer worship idols of their own handiwork, Dr. Burrell said, there was little difference between this and that form of idol worship which would set up as an object of worship a purely intellectual man-made theory of religion in opposition to an old-fashioned teaching of a direct inspiration.

Rev. Russell Cecil, D. D., Rev. W. W. Moore, D. D., Rev. D. Clay Lilly, D. D., and Rev. J. Calvin Stewart, D. D., took part in the services.

Dr. Burrell will continue to lecture each night this week in the Chapel of Union Theological Seminary, Ginter Park. Last year James Sprunt, of Wilmington, N. C., gave to the seminary a considerable endowment, the purpose of which was to provide from time to time for such special lecture-ships, Dr. Burrell being the first to come here under these auspices.

Dr. Burrell was introduced by Dr. Moore last night as the "leading Presbyterian of the world," on account of his position as president of the Alliance of Reformed Churches Throughout the World, an organization which Dr. Moore stated had in its allied communion about 30,000,000 members, scattered in every part of the world, the alliance being made up of churches of all nations holding to the Presbyterian system.

AMUSEMENTS.

Academy—"The Spring Maid."
City Auditorium—Mme. Marie Rapold in Concert.
Bijou—"Where the Trail Divides."
Colonial—Vaudeville.
Empire—Miniature Musical Comedy.
Lubin—Miniature Musical Comedy.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Watson

SMALL BOY AGAIN PLAYS BY TRACKS

Four-Year-Old Bernard Shaw Beats Hasty Retreat When He Sees Policeman Coming.

Bernard Shaw, four-year-old son of T. J. Shaw, of 119 South Linden Street, who has been the cause of his father appearing in court and who has given the police no end of trouble in the past two weeks by placing obstructions on the tracks of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad, at Belvidere and Canal Streets, was up to his pranks again yesterday morning. Bicycle Policeman Traylor saw the youngster playing about the tracks, and when he started to ride towards him the little fellow ran, and the officer did not attempt to pursue him.

"Of course, it may appear to be a trivial matter," Traylor said, "but the child might put something on the rails which may cause an accident, with resulting fatalities. I admit that his father has done what he could by moving his home from the corner near the tracks, but the boy persists in running away and visiting his old haunts. The case is some puzzle, all right."

The father was before Police Justice Crutchfield Saturday morning to answer a summons charging him with permitting his son to place obstructions on the tracks, but no action was taken in the case, the hearing going over for a few days.

The case with which the child is able to leave home is explained by the fact that his father is away during the day, and for several months his mother has been almost an invalid, and there is no one to watch his movements.

SHOOTS HIMSELF

Bullet From .42-Calibre Pistol Tears Way Through Negro's Hand.

Irvin Johnson, a fourteen-year-old negro boy, accidentally shot himself through the right hand with a .42-calibre revolver yesterday afternoon while cleaning the office of Dr. N. T. Ennett, of 304 West Franklin Street. Dr. Ennett heard the gun's report, and rushing into his office saw blood on the floor and the revolver on the floor open, but the boy was nowhere to be found. Dr. Ennett notified the Second Police Station. In the meantime, it ran to First and Broad Streets and finding an officer, had a call sent for the City Hospital ambulance. Dr. O. C. Page responded and rendered emergency treatment. Johnson was taken to his home, 305 West Baker Street.

The boy said he saw the gun in a table drawer and when he picked it up he fired it. The bullet tearing through the palm of his hand, out the back, and lodged in the upper part of a window casing.

BULLET OF ASSASSIN IS FATAL TO ARAUJO

President of Republic of Salvador Succumbs to His Wounds.

San Salvador, February 9.—Manuel Araujo, president of the republic of Salvador, who was wounded by the bullets of an assassin on February 4, died to-day. Don Carlos Melendez will succeed to the office of chief executive.

President Araujo was attacked and shot last Tuesday night by several men, one of whom, a Guatemalan named Virgilio Mulatillo, was arrested. Mulatillo in a confession declared that the plot to assassinate President Araujo had been contracted in Guatemala City.

Washington Surprised. Washington, February 9.—Presidential power in Salvador has been vested in Carlos Melendez, the first designate, according to a message to the State Department received to-night from American Minister Heimke at San Salvador, which said that President Araujo had died at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The news of President Araujo's death surprised official Washington, as many messages had given assurance that his wounds were not serious, and that he was well on the way to recovery. Most of these messages came from President Araujo, who personally signed telegrams to Secretary of State Knox and Salvadorean Minister Mejia, as well as other Latin-American diplomats, in response to their messages of sympathy. Such messages were received from Senor Araujo as late as last night.

Hasty conferences among members of the Central American diplomatic corps followed the receipt of news of President Araujo's death. Fear was expressed that malcontents in the little republic might seize upon the present as an opportune time in which to precipitate a revolution. State Department officials, alarmed because of manifestations of discontent in many quarters in Central America, realized that although the warships are now headed for ports in as many Central American countries, sterner measures may be necessary to preserve peace till the close of the present administration.

Whitman Will Go ON WITH INQUIRY

Expects to Land "Men Higher Up" During Police Graft Investigation.

New York, February 9.—Nine indictments, and possibly ten, it was learned to-night, are expected to be returned by the grand jury to-morrow in the police graft investigation.

Two of these indictments will be against members of the police department, one of who was said to be an inspector. A lawyer, whose name has been prominently mentioned in connection with graft investigations, is a third man whose indictment is expected.

The connection of the others with the graft revelations in the detailed confessions of Patrolman Eugene Fox and Captain Thomas Walsh could not be learned to-night. As a result of Walsh's statements to District Attorney Whitman, Police Commissioner Waldo has already suspended Inspector Dennis Sweeney and several police captains and lesser officers.

The physician attending Captain Walsh reported to-night that his patient would be able to go to the district attorney's office to-morrow, where the testimony he will give to-morrow will result in the indictment of an inspector. With this indictment obtained, District Attorney Whitman will go "higher," according to intimations from his office, and before the end of the week an indictment against a civilian official at police headquarters may be looked for, it is said.

Don Welcome Mother's Friend

A Duty that Every Man Ows to Those who Perpetuate the Race.

It is just as important that men should know of progressive methods in advance of motherhood. The suffering, pain and distress incident to child-bearing can be easily avoided by having at hand a bottle of Mother's Friend.

This is a wonderful, penetrating, external application that relieves all tension upon the muscles and enables them to expand without the painful strain upon the ligaments. Thus there is avoided all those nervous spells; the tendency to nausea or morning sickness is counteracted, and a bright, sunny, happy disposition is preserved that reflects wonderfully upon the character and temperament of the little one soon to open its eyes in bewilderment at the joy of his arrival. You can obtain a bottle of "Mother's Friend" at any drug store at \$1.00, and it will be the best dollar's worth you ever obtained. It preserves the mother's health, enables her to make a quick and complete recovery, and thus with renewed strength she will eagerly devote herself to the care and attention which mean so much to the welfare of the child.

Write to the Bradfield Regulator Co., 129 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., for their valuable and instructive book of guidance for expectant mothers. Get a bottle of Mother's Friend to-day.